FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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	nd Address of	Reporting Person*							cker or Tradin			(Ch	Relationship neck all appli X Direct	cable)	g Pers	on(s) to Iss	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O HENRY SCHEIN, INC.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2004								(give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
135 DURYEA ROAD				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) MELVIL	LE N	Y	11747									- 1	Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)				Benefic Owned	es Fo ally (D) Following (I)	Form:	Direct Control of the Indirect Extr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Date, Transaction					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$70.98	02/18/2004			A		7,500		(2)	02/18/2014	Common Stock	7,500	\$0	7,500		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Acquired pursuant to the Issuer's 1996 Non-Employee Director Incentive Plan.
- 2. Pursuant to the terms of the stock option agreement between the Issuer and the Reporting Person, the option becomes exercisable in four (4) equal annual installments beginning on the first (1st) anniversary of the grant date specified in Column 3

/s/ Philip A. Laskawy 03/12/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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